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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: Inagaki et al.

Serial No.: 09/651,585

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For: Client Server System and Method
for Executing an Application Utilizing
Distributed Objects

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§ Group Art Unit: 2142
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§ Examiner: Blair, Douglas B.
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§ Attorney Docket No.: JP9-1999-0175US1
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In response to the Final Office Action dated November 3, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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